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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Ming-King ("Max") LIU et al.

Application No.: 09/526,646

Filed: March 15, 2000

For: AUTOMATIC DATA CPU LOAD  
REDUCTION IN A HOST-SIGNAL  
PROCESSING (HSP) BASED ADSL  
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PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

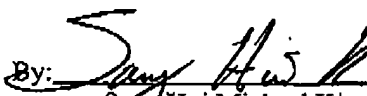
Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Final Office Action mailed March 25, 2004. A request to charge the fee of \$475.00 for the extension to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916 is included on the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal being filed herewith.

Please grant any further extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
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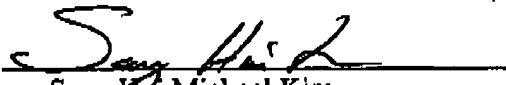
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